

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Amend the claims as follows. This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A method comprising:

receiving a separate information unit entered with an input element of a dynamic I/O arrangement belonging to a user interface of an electronic device, wherein the separate information unit corresponds to a first character entered in a composition activity;

automatically determining from the identity of the separate information unit whether input entry is in a first mode or a second mode,

wherein when it is determined that the input entry is in a first mode, increasing in an equal amount size of members of a group of input elements and decreasing in size any input elements not included in the group of input elements increased in size by an equal amount; and

when it is determined that the input entry is in a second mode, determining based on probability which information units will likely be input next; and emphasizing by size the input elements corresponding to the information units likely to be entered next in the user interface of the electronic device, wherein the sizes of the emphasized input elements vary on a case-specific basis depending on respective probabilities of the information units associated with the input elements.

2. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 1, wherein the input of the information unit is fulfilled by a press of a separate key belonging to the user interface.

3. (Original) The method according to claim 1, where the dynamic I/O arrangement comprises a touch display or a projection keyboard.

4. (Cancelled)

5. (Cancelled)

6. (Currently Amended) An electronic device comprising:

a memory configured to save information;

a user interface configured to display a plurality of input elements, each of the input elements corresponding to an information unit;

an input control configured to receive selections of information units selected using the input elements displayed by the user interface;

a control unit coupled to the memory, user interface and input control, the control unit configured to identify after a first input an entered information unit wherein the information unit corresponds to a first character entered in a composition activity; to automatically determine based on the identity of the first information unit whether input entry is in a first mode or a second mode,

wherein when the control unit determines that input entry is in the first mode, to increase in an equal amount members of a group of input elements and to decrease in size any input elements not included in the group of input elements increased in size by an equal amount; and

when the control unit determines that input entry is in the second mode, to determine based on probability which information units will likely be entered next; and to cause the user interface to emphasize by size the input elements corresponding to the information units likely to be entered next, wherein the sizes of the emphasized input elements vary on a case-specific basis depending on respective probabilities of the information units associated with the input elements.

7. (Previously presented) The electronic device according to claim 6, where the input elements are defined by an area on a touch display or a projection keyboard.

8. (Cancelled)

9. (Cancelled)

10. (Previously presented) The electronic device according to claim 6, further comprising a cellular terminal or PDA.

11. (Currently Amended) A computer program product comprising a computer readable memory storing a computer program executable by a control apparatus of an

electronic device, the computer program configured to perform operations for controlling the electronic device when executed, the operations comprising:

receiving a first information unit entered with an input element of a dynamic I/O arrangement belonging to a user interface of an electronic device wherein the first information unit corresponds to a first character entered in a composition activity;

identifying the first entered information unit and automatically determining whether input entry is in a first mode or a second mode in dependence on the identity of the information unit;

wherein when it is determined that information entry is in the first mode, increasing in an equal amount members of a group of input elements and decreasing in size any input elements not included in the group of input elements increased in size by an equal amount; and

when it is determined that information entry is in the second mode,

determining based on probability which information units will likely be input next; and

emphasizing by size the input elements corresponding to the information units likely to be entered next in the user interface of the electronic device, wherein the sizes of the emphasized input elements are determined on a case-specific basis depending on respective probabilities of the information units associated with the input elements.

12. (Previously presented) The computer program product according to claim 11, where said input of the information unit in the electronic device is fulfilled by a separate key press in a user interface.

13. (Cancelled)

14. (Cancelled)

15. (Cancelled)

16. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 1 wherein when it is determined that the input entry mode is in the first mode, the method further comprises increasing in size a portion of the user interface associated with the group of input elements increased in size by an equal amount and decreasing in size a portion of the user interface not associated with the group of input elements increased in size by an equal amount.

17. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 1 wherein the first mode corresponds to a telephone number entry mode.

18. (Cancelled)

19. (Previously presented) The electronic device according to claim 6 wherein when the control unit determines that the input entry mode corresponds to the first mode, the control unit is further configured to increase in size a portion of the user interface associated with the group of input elements increased in size by an equal amount and to decrease in size a portion of the user interface not associated with the group of input elements increased in size by an equal amount.

20. (Previously presented) The electronic device according to claim 6 wherein the first mode corresponds to a telephone number entry mode.

21. (Cancelled)

22. (Previously presented) The computer program product according to claim 11 wherein when the operations performed by the computer program determine that the input entry mode corresponds to the first mode, the operations further comprise increasing in size a portion of the user interface associated with the group of input elements increased in size by an equal amount and decreasing in size a portion of the user interface not associated with the group of input elements increased in size by an equal amount.

23. (Previously presented) The computer program product according to claim 11 wherein the first mode corresponds to a telephone number entry mode.